

# AMATEUR CONTEST AT PALACE THEATRE TONIGHT

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ONE CENT

## VALUABLE RAILROAD PROPERTY DESTROYED IN \$150,000 FIRE

Machine Shop and Adjoining Buildings With Contents Prey to Flames

LOSS INCLUDES ENGINES

Entailing a loss of from \$100,000 to \$150,000 a fire which was hard to control destroyed completely the machine shop, blacksmith shop, tin shop and airbrake supply house of the Monongahela Railways company at Brownsville this morning at 3 o'clock, with all contents except one locomotive, which E. V. Thompson a machinist who discovered the fire, backed out. Included in the loss was that of three locomotives valued each at \$20,000. Firemen of South Brownsville, Brownsville and West Brownsville, aided by volunteers from the Bridgeport mine of the H. C. Frick Coal company fought two hours before they were able to arrest the progress of the flames.

The fire started in the roof of the machine shop supposedly from a defective electric wire. Machinist Thompson saw the blaze and the smoke curling about the roof. Realizing the danger he dashed into the building to the rear, leaped to the cab of the only locomotive which was in steam.

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## SECOND WEEK'S SERVICES BEGIN AT LOCAL CHURCH

Preaching in his evangelistic services at the First Christian church on "The Mystery of Godliness," Rev. Ben S. Johnson was heard Monday night by a good sized crowd, an increase of interest showing. In discussing the theme, Rev. Johnson showed wherein are mysteries of divinity and mysteries which are not plain to the human mind in arguing his points.



REV. BEN. S. JOHNSON

The service was the beginning of his second week's evangelistic efforts here. Singing by a chorus and a solo by Rev. E. N. Duty were features.

Tonight the subject announced for the sermon is "The Meanness of Sin." Music will be a feature the chorus singing to start at 7:30. The soloists for the evening will be Miss Goldie May. Baptismal services are being arranged for Wednesday night.

## CONNELLSVILLE PROSPECTING TO SECURE NEW BILLET MILLS

A committee of the Conneltsville chamber of commerce has been canvassing the money men of Conneltsville in an effort to raise from \$40,000 to \$50,000 to secure the location of a mill for the manufacture of billets for the electrical furnace process at Fayette near that city.

Robert Lock, president of the Apollo Steel company, appeared before the chamber and impressed his hearers in such a manner that immediate steps were taken to develop the proposition.

The West Penn Railways company will donate a site of 19 to 15 acres adjoining its power plant. The cost of equipping the mill will be \$125,000, and Mr. Lock and his associates will put up 51 per cent. Men in the meeting quickly subscribed \$14,000.

Within three or four years, Mr. Lock stated, he believes the proposition will evolve into a 12-mill plant giving employment to about 1,000 men. At the outset the plant will have a capacity of 75 tons of billets a day and employ 40 men.

## TEN JAILED FOR FOMENTING RIOT

Foreign Strikers at Langeloth Concerned in Trouble at Chemical Plant

## STATE TROOPER IS WOUNDED

In connection with a strike riot Monday of employees of the American Zinc and Chemical Company at Langeloth near Burgettstown which resulted in serious injury to State Trooper Charles Ferich of Burgettstown ten foreigners, striking employees of the chemical company, were arrested late in the afternoon and following a hearing before Justice of the Peace W. B. Culley in Burgettstown Monday night each was held for court. Sheriff F. B. Wickerham took the men to Washington, where they were placed in jail without bail.

State Trooper Ferich, who had been taken to the emergency hospital at the chemical plant was removed to the state troopers' headquarters at Burgettstown. He suffered five deep cuts about the face and head and the left ear was almost torn from the head. It was officially announced Monday night that 500 men were on strike. The men demand an increase of 25 cents a day and refused the company's offer of a 15-cent increase.

The riot was the result of State Trooper Ferich attempting to arrest an employee. Several hundred striking employees had congregated about the company's plant, when the policeman attempted to arrest a foreigner. Trooper Ferich was dragged from his horse and beaten by the angry foreigners. He was rescued by two state troopers.

## MEASLES EPIDEMIC IN ONE DISTRICT

Foreign Children in Ninth Street Neighborhood Afflicted—Monongahela Situation Not Improved—75 to 80 Cases There

An epidemic of measles exists in the Ninth street school neighborhood that health authorities and doctors are cooperating in a movement to control. Forty-two cases have been reported and Health Officer William Darby has that many under quarantine.

The epidemic has developed virtually within the past week. About the middle of last week it was reported that there were 18 cases of the disease in Charleroi. This means that there have been 24 developed since. Practically all the measles cases are confined to the Ninth street school neighborhood and are among foreign people.

## CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES AT MONONGAHELA

At his home in the First ward, Monongahela has occurred the death of William Woodward, aged 75 years, an old soldier and a well known and lifelong resident of that city. Death was due to pneumonia and came after a brief illness.

Mr. Woodward was born in Monongahela in 1841 the son of Noble and Mary Collins Woodward. He was a plasterer by trade. When the call came for volunteers in 1861 he enlisted for the first three months service. Later he joined Company D, of the 79th Pennsylvania Volunteers and served with that command. At the battle of Perryville, Va., on October 8, 1862 he was wounded four times, one ball penetrating his breast, another severing a finger on the left hand and another passing through his left ear. He was discharged on account of his wounds but later re-enlisted in the artillery and served until the close of the war. He was in Washington, D. C., when President Lincoln was assassinated.

He is survived by his wife and the following daughters, Mrs. Thomas Craig and Mrs. G. H. Pieper of Monongahela and Mrs. Luke Leeper and Mrs. John Forsythe of Fredericktown. One brother, Frank of Monongahela, also survives.

Funeral services were held from the late home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with interment in the Monongahela cemetery.

## WEST VIRGINIA COAL SELLS AT HIGH FIGURE

Pittsburg coal, near holdings of J. V. Thompson of Uniontown and the Cochran of Fayette county, brought high prices at forced sale at Morgantown, W. Va. E. G. Donley and Stanley Cox sold 22 acres of coal and surface of the Ridgway heirs near Stumptown, Monongalia county, W. Va. for \$380 an acre. Thirty-two acres of surface adjoining this property was sold for \$52.50 an acre. Five months ago 80 acres of coal in this section was sold at forced sale at \$135 per acre. Thompson coal in this field is appraised at \$400 per acre.

## EAST BETHLEHEM ROAD TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Preliminary activity for the construction of the state highway through East Bethlehem township will commence at an early date according to information lately divulged.

Assistant Engineer Alexander Gray of Washington has asked for particulars of the route. He has just returned from Harrisburg where he was given instruction to lose no time in gathering the preliminary data. Engineer Gray stated that he was now working on the plans for this route and that the surveyors probably would be on hand at Fredericktown sometime next week to work on the plans and estimates.

The township commissioners had been led to believe that estimates for this road were on file at Harrisburg, but in a communication from Chief Engineer Uhler he stated that no estimates could be found, but that the matter would have immediate action from the Washington county office.

It is not known just how much time will be required for the engineers to make the necessary surveys and estimates. From present indications, however, it appears that the Highway Department is really interested and that the work will be pushed.

No further action can be taken by the township commissioners until copies of the estimates are in their hands. After these have been inspected and a choice selected, some time will be required to carry out the technicalities of a bond issue, which will be necessary for the construction of the road.

## SEEKS THE POSSESSION OF MOTION PICTURE EQUIPMENT

H. C. Hepler of Charleroi, surviving member of the partnership formerly existing between C. J. Mathews deceased and H. C. Hepler in his own behalf has filed a suit in replevin against J. D. Polites and Nick Gregoris. The plaintiff seeks to secure possession of certain motion picture equipment at the Majestic theatre, Charleroi. It is averred the defendant has violated the agreement under which this equipment was leased. The value of the goods in dispute is \$1,900.

TODAY--ANNA HELD IN "LA PRESIDENTE"  
TOMORROW--M'ME PETROVA "THE SOUL MARKET"  
COYLE THEATRE

## AGED WOMAN MAY DIE FROM RECENT FALL ON ICY STREET

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENTS ARE  
ARRANGED TWO DAYS THIS WEEK

Two school entertainments are arranged for this week which are out of the ordinary. They will be confined to Fifth street and Crest avenue school program on Thursday and a joint Ninth street and Second street program on Friday. Seats at the high school auditorium both evenings have about been sold out. Matinees will be given both afternoons chiefly for school children.

Prof. I. T. Daniel, music supervisor has looked after the preparation of the programs. The Crest avenue program will consist of folk songs and dances and a special number, "The Sailor's Hornpipe," a dance by Miss Helen Darroch of California. Features will be foreign dances of various natures. The Fifth street program will consist chiefly of "The Fairies' Tribunal." A boy reader of yellow novels is placed on trial and the fairies attempt his reform.

Friday the Second street program will include a flag salute, a playlet, "The Three Bears" and a drill. The Ninth street children will present a pageant of nations, folk dances, songs and go through various evolutions. Each program will be entirely different.

## WEST PENN PLANS VARIOUS PLANTS

New Power Station at Conneltsville Only a Part of Construction Program

## WATER POWER CONTEMPLATED

The prediction made a few years ago that the development in power generation would take the form of large stations at the source of the fuel supply is well illustrated in the program of construction of the West Penn Power company which now has a 60,000-kw. power station at Conneltsville, is building a 150,000-kw station at Wellsburg, W. Va., and plans to build this year a 100,000-kw plant on the Allegheny river at Freeport. The last two plants will virtually back up against coal mines. In a few years it is expected that a water power development will be made for the company on the Cheat river, W. Va.

The size of single power units is also conspicuously shown in the case of the West Penn plants. It is now having 40,000-hp. steam turbines built by the General Electric company and the next unit to be bought may be one of 50,000-hp. The steam pressure to be employed may be as high as 600 lb per square inch. The present voltage of transmission is 25,000, but 110,000 volt transmission is now under consideration at least from Wheeling W. Va., to Washington, a matter of 25 or 30 miles, with 3-phase current at 60 cycles. At the present time the company has about 300 miles of high tension circuits following the rim, so to speak of a wheel with lower tension for distribution along the spokes of the wheel. Sargent & Lundy, Chicago are engineers for the power plants in process of design and construction.

"Grandma" Murphy, Wonderfully Active Until Time of Injury, in Spite of Years

HAD PASSED 101ST BIRTHDAY

Fears are entertained as to the outcome of injuries sustained in a fall by Mrs. Catherine Murphy, aged 101 years, known as "Grandma" Murphy, of Oakland, Pittsburg. She is the mother of Anthony Murphy of Charleroi and one of the best known women of her home district. The Pittsburg Gazette Times in a long front page write-up speaks of Mrs. Murphy as follows:

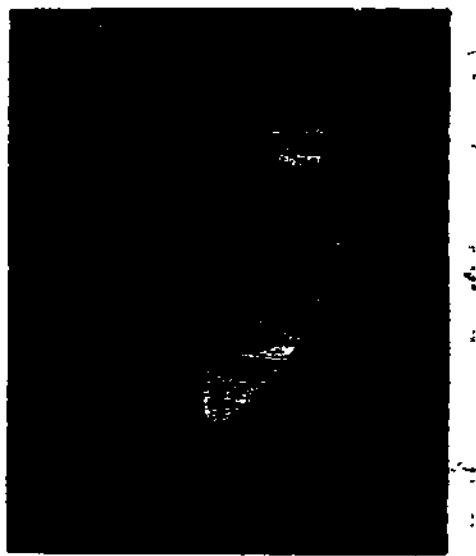
About three weeks ago Mrs. Murphy was crossing the icy street in front of her home at 3746 Frazier street, Oakland when she slipped and fell. By the irony of fate it was her dearest friends, the children of the district who contributed indirectly to her injury. The children had made a sled track down the middle of the street.

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## COACH GDANIEC TAKES JOB IN VIRGINIA TOWN

Athletic Coach Joseph Gdaniec of Charleroi high school has tendered his resignation to the school board and today is his last with the local schools. Mr. Gdaniec will leave for Dorchester, Va., having accepted a position there as electrical engineer with the Wise Coal and Coke company. No one has been elected to his place in Charleroi.

Coach Gdaniec came here from Buchnell college, where he made good in athletic and school work. He assumed his share of teaching work at the high school and in addition took



COACH JOSEPH GDANIEC

charge of all athletic coaching. He produced an exceptionally good football team and coached the high school basketball team to the Washington county championship. Yet while here Coach Gdaniec has not enjoyed the finest health, having suffered from catarrhal trouble partly due to it is believed to rheumatism.

This morning at the high school a farewell was said to Coach Gdaniec. He made a short address, thanking the members of the student body, the faculty, Superintendent Pollock and members of the school board for their cooperation friendship and help during his stay in Charleroi.

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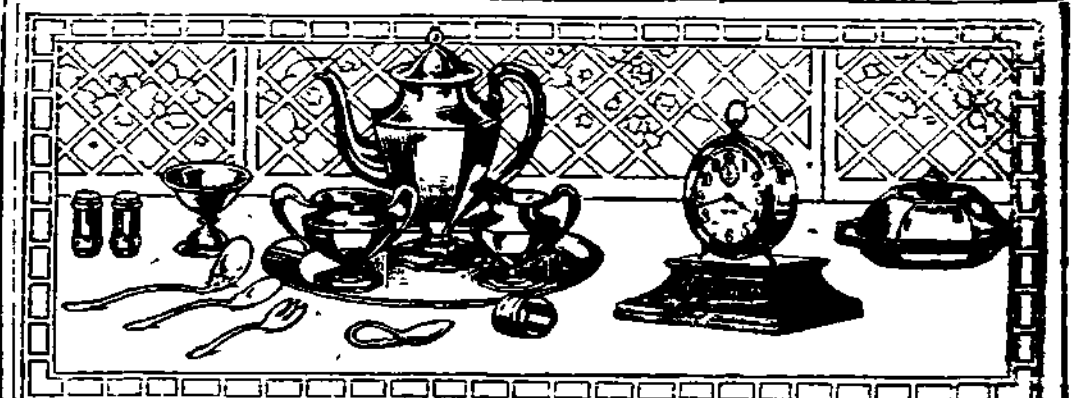
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### CONSTRUCTIVENESS AHEAD

This will be a busy world when peace returns. After such vast ravages the repair will be on a big scale. No prophet can tell when the war will end, but every one of the combatants is more or less disorganized. The nations piling up debt at the rate of five or six billions a year cannot stand such a strain immediately. Argues the New Castle Herald. Rattless materialism is at a fever. The cause it sees that it cannot do what it expected. Armies of colossal size are in the deadlock of trenches and superdreadnaughts are chiefly concerned in avoiding exposure to submarines. Sabre rattling has become unpopular. The realities of what it leads to are a sufficient answer to its blind folly. The law of recuperation will assert itself as soon as it gets a chance and great will be all forms of business activity when the nations of Europe decide to treat each other with civility, offering the hand of amity in trade instead of the mailed fist. Nature works rapidly in the healing of wounds. Health is more catching and more general than disease. A good time coming is no fiction of an optimistic poet. A universal war in Europe is but another name for widespread loss and suffering that involves the whole continent, and that will leave every country, when hostilities end, poorer than they were before.

The United States, as the wealthiest and most productive nation and the most important outside of the conflict, will, it may be reasonably assumed, take a leading part in supplying the demands that come with peace. To provide for this situation intelligently is one of the foremost duties to be performed in the general election now less than eight months away. The most capably constructive party is the one that should win, and in all probability will win when conditions and issues are rightly examined. What party has best guided the country in large emergencies? In the development of American industries? In financial affairs? In other weighty matters of national and international size? In the last fifty years all presidents but two have represented the principles the animating purposes of one party. What will be chiefly decided in the election of November is the part our country will take in the busy operations of the world after peace returns and probably in a more lasting form than before the present awful curse broke loose.

It is not a good time for the voters of the United States to make a mistake and one that will hamper and perplex them in four years.

### C. C. MILLER, KILLED IN MEXICO; NOT FORMER CHARLEROI DRUGGIST

Now it appears that the C. C. Miller who was killed by Mexicans recently in Columbus, N. M., was not the former Charleoi and Donora druggist. Dr. J. K. Smith, postmaster, wrote from Charleoi to a bank at New Mexico and he received the word back that the man killed was Charles C. Miller and that he was 58 years old. The former Charleoi man's name was Clarence C. Miller and he was much younger than the age given for "Charles C. Miller."

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### BYRNE-HESS MARRIAGE OCCURS MONDAY EVENING

Ceremony Performed at Home of Rev. E. N. Duty Uniting Toronto Girl and Speers Man.

The marriage of Miss Anna Martha Hess of Toronto, Ohio, to Adam Martin Riley Byrne of Speers, took place at the home on Meade avenue of Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor of the First Christian church, on Monday evening at 6 o'clock. Rev. Duty performed the rite, the ring ceremony being used. The couple have gone to house-keeping on Third street and McKean avenue.

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### FAREWELL SAID BY TEACHERS

TO MEMBERS OF SCHOOL FACULTY

Members of the high school faculty Superintendent T. L. Pollock and others were entertained at the home of Miss Muriel Scott Monday evening in a reception arranged in honor of Joseph Gdaniec a member of the faculty who has resigned and who is leaving Charleoi to locate in Dorchester Va. The affair was hastily arranged, but a good program of diversions was provided and an enjoyable evening was spent, the only marring feature being the realization that after a day Mr. Gdaniec was to leave. An appetizing lunch was served by Miss Scott.

### HIGH SCHOOL VICTORY IS APPRECIATED BY F. J. JOHN

Appreciation of the efforts of the Charleoi high school basketball game in winning their basketball game from Washington last Friday entitling them to the county championship, was shown by Frank J. John of John's Pharmacy Monday evening when he treated the members of the first and second teams. Coach Joseph Gdaniec and Manager Edwin Booth to a feast of delicacies. At 8:30 the group appeared at his store in response to his invitation. The treat consisted of strawberries, cake, ice cream and peanut brittle. Before the team left last Friday for Washington Mr. John promised them the same sort of treats he has previously promised at the time of championship games. They won and he treated.

### VALUABLE RAILROAD PROPERTY

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and pulled the throttle. He got safely out, but immediately the entire interior seemed to spring into flame. The three fire departments arrived soon. The machine shop was formerly used as a roundhouse and was a large wooden structure erected in 1907. It was connected with wide doors to the buildings housing the blacksmith shop, the tin shop and the airbrake supply department. The oil and grease in each place greedily gathered up the flame. The well-dried woodwork burned like tinder. Directly at the back of the four structures is located the new roundhouse, but it is of fireproof construction, so that the conflagration was prevented from spreading to that point. Other concrete buildings adjoining did not suffer, firemen being able to keep the conflagration from extending to them.

In addition to the three locomotives destroyed other machinery lost was an 84-inch drive wheel lathe valued at \$8,605, a 42-inch lathe valued at \$2,800, a 24-inch lathe valued at \$1,200, an arc welding machine valued at \$1,500, an air compressor valued at \$1,400 and much miscellaneous machinery. Officials placed the loss of machinery at \$90,000, so that the total will be expected go considerably over \$100,000.

One fireman, John E. Gray of South Brownsville was slightly hurt when a hose burst from its 90 pounds pressure the stream spraying cinders and ashes from a nearby pile. Gray was blinded by the ashes but he was not seriously injured.

No official announcement has been made by the Monongahela Railways' officials of their intentions, but it is anticipated the various buildings will be reconstructed at once of fireproof material and put into immediate use.

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### AGED WOMAN MAY DIE

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At the time she gave her injury little consideration and proceeded on her way across the street, where she visited the home of an old neighbor, who was ill and to whom she was taking some gaiters. She was seemingly all right except for a slight limp until several days ago when complications developed.

"Grandma" Murphy was the friend of every child in the neighborhood and a Good Samaritan to men and women.

Her kindly spirit, undimmed by the passing years has been the inspiration of every child in the neighborhood touch with her.

Every morning of her life until her accident, Mrs. Murphy took a walk around Oakland. Her bent figure was familiar to residents and to policemen. She could thread a needle without glasses, which she has never worn. In spite of her great age she has been blessed with excellent health and has never needed medical attention.

"Grandma" Murphy has had a curiously adventurous life. She has crossed and recrossed the Atlantic Ocean five times. She was born in County Mayo, Ireland. She was married in Ireland to Patrick Cuff and first came to America 70 years ago with her family, her husband and her three children.

Two of her children contracted fever on board ship and were held up and not allowed admittance to the United States at Ellis Island on this account. Her husband and one son were allowed to enter the country and she turned back with her two children returning to Ireland. She remained in Ireland a year and then started for America again. She was to have disembarked at New Orleans, La., where she was to have met her husband, but while waiting for her in that city Mr. Cuff was stricken with cholera and died before her arrival.

From New Orleans she came directly to Pittsburgh to join relatives here. She came to the city by way of the old canal and when she arrived there were no trolley cars. She walked to St. Mary's Cemetery at the death of her brother who was the second person to be buried in the now crowded cemetery.

She was married a second time in St. Paul's Cathedral to James Murphy 65 years ago. They went to Wheeling W. Va., to live. After several years in that city Mrs. Murphy and her husband returned to Ireland. Two children were born in Ireland. Mr. Murphy died there.

Forty-five years ago, when Mrs. Murphy was aged 56, she again crossed the ocean for the fifth time and returned to Pittsburgh, where she has resided ever since. For 40 years she has been a resident of the section in which she is now breathing her last.

She has three children living, Anthony Murphy of Charleroi; Mrs. Barbara Flaherty and Michael Murphy and four children dead. She has 16 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. She is a member of St. Paul's Cathedral.

During the holidays Mrs. Murphy visited in Charleroi with her son. She came all the way from Pittsburgh by herself and while here enjoyed herself in much the same that a person half her age would. She took an active interest in what was going on in Charleroi. One of the surprises to her friends here was to witness her reading without glasses.

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### PERSONALS

A. G. Lewis went to Uniontown on business Tuesday.  
Miss Josephine Fergus of Belle Vernon visited with friends in Charleroi.  
Miss May Stevenson of Brownsville visited over Sunday with relatives in Charleroi.  
Mrs. G. W. Albright of Monessen visited with Mrs. C. W. Albright Sr. of Fallowfield avenue Monday.  
Thomas Heher of Brickton, N. Y., after visiting with his daughter Mrs. William Ludwig of McKean avenue has gone to Oil City to visit before leaving for his home.  
Miss Ruth Majors of Donora visited with friends in Charleroi.

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Miss Zeta Nickeson of Meadow avenue has returned from a visit with relatives at Ingram.  
Mrs. P. J. McCann of McKean avenue is visiting with friends and relatives at Uniontown.  
Miss Hazel Steck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steck is improving after a successful operation for appendicitis at the Allegheny General Hospital at Pittsburg.  
Miss Beckie Wilson of Washington avenue is visiting at Uniontown.  
Mrs. H. A. Graham of Beaver Falls is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. J. Robertson of McKean avenue.  
Mrs. L. J. Robertson of McKean avenue who has been seriously ill for the past three weeks is able to be out again.

Car Swings Against Pole.  
Avoiding a collision with a car at the corner of McKean avenue and First street Monday evening a driver from the Elite garage escaped narrowly. His car swung against a telephone pole and some damage was done. A passenger in the car was scratched and bruised about the head.

## FLYING SQUADRON TO SEND FAMED READER

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